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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: **Kazuhiko Hara, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **Not Yet Known**

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For: **INK CARTRIDGE FOR INK JET RECORDER AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING SAME**

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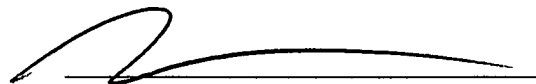
CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicants hereby claim priority under the International Convention and all rights to which they are entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon Japanese Priority Application No. 9-765782, filed on March 12, 1997. A certified copy of that priority document has been filed in parent application no. 09/041,890.

Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required, please do not hesitate to contact applicants' attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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